

Lincolnshire Community Foundation Funding Matrix



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Lincolnshire Community Foundation funding schemes					
Name of grant	Maximum grant/ match funding	Purpose of grant	Outputs/outcomes hoped for	Geographical area covered & Closing date(s)	Contact
Bicker Trust	Up to £5,000	To promote renewable and efficient energy and not-for-profit projects that conserve or improve the environment.	Grants are available for practical or educational projects that either contribute to conservation, energy efficiency or environmental improvements or raise awareness in those areas.	Within a 10-mile radius of Bicker Fen (priority to be given to projects within 5 miles) Closing Dates: 1 April & 1 October	Katie Littlewood 01529 305825 katie@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
Big Lincolnshire Welcome Fund	Up to £150 for an individual and £300 for a family	To provide essential items, not already covered by National or Local Government and to give a displaced person/family from Ukraine the opportunity to choose for themselves what they need to make their lives easier within the County.	To make refugees from Ukraine feel welcomed and integrated within their new surroundings.	Lincolnshire Closing Dates: Rolling Fund	Hayley Crawford 01529 305825 hayley@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
Bishop of Lincoln's Social Justice Fund	£2,500.00 to £3,000.00	To build fair, sharing communities for people living in Lincolnshire and to make life more comfortable, ease distress and isolation for those most in need.	Projects that combat the following issues: social cohesion, isolation, poverty/fuel poverty, homelessness, deprivation, social justice.	Greater Lincolnshire Closing Date: 15 th Feb 2026	Helen Cater 01529 305825 helen@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
East Lindsey Investment Fund GRASSroots Scheme (ELIF)	Up to £24,999	To support community-led efforts in East Lindsey which invest in and restore their community spaces and create the foundations for growth at neighbourhood level. The intention is to strengthen the social fabric of communities, create	Projects must align with the aims of the East Lindsey Investment Fund, particularly around the target area of community development. Prospective projects should address themes and initiatives that are close to the hearts of the	East Lindsey Closing Dates CLOSED	ELIF Team 01529 572272 elif@lincolnshirecf.co.uk

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		opportunities for social connections to develop and thrive as well as further develop access to services for local residents.	residents of East Lindsey and address one of the following priorities: Community facilities ; Community Cohesion ; Core Strength ; Digital Exclusion & Transport ; Young People ; Older People ; Heritage, arts and culture ; Energy efficiency for community buildings.		
Evan Cornish Grassroots Fund	Up to £6,000	Social cohesion, advice and support, older people, homelessness and food sovereignty.	Work with prisoners, families, ethnic minorities, women's groups etc. Counselling services, outreach, gaps provision Improved services to older people – care at home, volunteer costs, dementia services etc Seed swap, food banks Support for homeless people	Countywide (incl. North and North East Lincolnshire) Closing Dates: 2 nd February 2026	Hayley Crawford 01529 305825 hayley@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
High Sheriff's Fund	£5,000	To reduce crime and antisocial behaviour and build a safer community.	A reduction in crime. Funds can be used for young people (diversionary activities, projects that raise aspirations or reduce isolation), intergenerational activities (reduce fear of crime, promote community cohesion), activities for older people that tackle isolation and loneliness (resident groups, club societies).	Lincolnshire (not including N & NE Lincolnshire) Closing Date 1 st March 2026	Lincolnshire Community Foundation 01529 305825 info@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
Horncastle Health & Wellbeing Fund	Up to £2,000.00 for groups. Up to £500.00 for	To promote health and wellbeing of the residents of Horncastle and the surrounding district of East Lindsey who may be sick, convalescent, disabled or in need of financial	Costs associated with access to local services, healthy eating, increase physical activity, support for older people, early intervention, support groups, projects that address health	Horncastle (principal area of benefit) 10 mile radius (wider area of benefit).	Katie Littlewood 01529 305825 katie@lincolnshirecf.co.uk

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Humber Gateway Community Fund	Up to £2,500.00	To support volunteer led, not for profit projects that improve the lives of residents in North East Lincolnshire.	Community cohesion, young people, community facilities, older people.	North East Lincolnshire Closing Dates: 1 January & 1 June	Katie Littlewood 01529 305825 katie@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
Laceby Solar Farm Community Fund	Up to £5,000.00	To support projects that benefit people living at Laceby, Irby, Riby, Barnoldby le Beck, Bradley, Aylesby and Beelsby, North East Lincolnshire.	Community cohesion, young people, community facilities, energy efficiency, older people.	Laceby, Irby, Riby, Barnoldby le Beck, Bradley, Aylesby and Beelsby, Closing dates: 1 April & 1 October	Katie Littlewood 01529 305825 katie@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
MAST (Make-a-Start)	Average grant £150.00	To assist individuals over the age of 16 years entitled to work in the UK to continue education, training or enable them to get into work.	Support to remove the final barrier to employment or with specific training or equipment that will lead directly into available employment.	Countywide. Closing Dates: Rolling Fund	Aaron Bailey 01529 305825 aaron@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
Michael Cornish Core Grants Programme	Up to £10,000.00	To empower and support the resilience of community organisations delivering services and/or opportunities across Greater Lincolnshire addressing the needs of some of the most vulnerable residents in the County.	More/stronger support that helps young people reach their full potential; interventions which enable care leavers to be their best selves and move on in life; support for service and activities which help families; wider assistance for homeless people and individuals who are ex-offenders; stronger support for survivors of domestic abuse and sexual violence; wider help which address the root causes of poverty; stronger and more resilient local organisations, stronger support which decreases social isolation and improves mental health.	Countywide. Closing dates: 1 March, 1 July and 1 November each year until funds are spent	Cavan Collins 01529 305825 cavan@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
Sutton Bridge Solar Farm Community	Up to £5,000.00	To support projects that improve the lives of people living in Sutton Bridge	Grants for practical projects contributing to:	Sutton Bridge.	Katie Littlewood 01529 305825

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Fund			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education or training • Biodiversity & habitat conservation • Vibrant, healthy, successful, and sustainable communities • Promoting community spirit and encourage community activity • Improving outdoor spaces • History & heritage. 	Closing date: 1 May Annually	katie@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
SWEF	Up to £500 for start ups Up to £2,000 for established businesses	Funding for young entrepreneurs aged 18-30 for help with start up funding to set up or extend their business ideas.	Helps young entrepreneurs to become successful with their business ideas.	Greater Lincolnshire Closing Dates: Rolling Fund	Claire Edwards 01529 305825 claire@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
Thonock Aspiration Fund for Schools (TAFS)	Up to £500	The Fund supports the wellbeing, aspirations, and opportunities of children attending school settings in Gainsborough and the surrounding area. Grants are available to help children participate in extracurricular activities .	Projects must directly benefit children in school settings.	Gainsborough and Surrounding areas only Closing Dates: Rolling Fund	Cara Elliott 01529 305825 cara@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
The Grange Wind Farm Community Fund	Grants up to £5,000 in any one round (up to £10K in any one year)	To support volunteer led, not for profit projects that improve the lives of residents.	Community cohesion, young people, community facilities, energy efficiency, older people.	Within 10 miles of the wind farm (priority is given to those within 5 miles). Closing Dates: 1 January & 1 June annually	Katie Littlewood 01529 305825 katie@lincolnshirecf.co.uk
Triton Knoll Offshore Wind Farm Community Fund	Up to £5,000.00	To support projects that improve the lives of people living in communities within 3KM of the landfall location near Anderby Creek, 5Km of the onshore substation location near Bicker Fen.	Enhance the quality of life for local people. Promote community spirit and encourage community activity. Contribute to vibrant, health successful and sustainable communities.	3km's of the landfall location near Anderby Creek. 5km's of the onshore sub-station location near Bicker Fen.	Katie Littlewood 01529 305825 katie@lincolnshirecf.co.uk

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				Closing dates: 1 February & 1 August	
UK Shared Prosperity GRASSroots Fund	Up to £24,999 in Boston Borough and East Lindsey, Up to £10,000 in South Holland	To invest in and/or restore community spaces and create the foundations for growth at neighbourhood level. Projects can be either capital or revenue.	To strengthen the social fabric of communities, building pride in place by improving local community facilities, creating opportunities to bring people together and create social connections that will grow and thrive.	East Lindsey, Boston Borough, South Holland Closing dates: CLOSED	Helen Cater 01529 305825 helen@lincolnshirecf.co.uk

Find a funder page - Lincolnshire

Lincolnshire Community & Voluntary Partnership (LCVP)	Their website provides information on grants available throughout Lincolnshire. You can use their search box and filters to find a funder and grant scheme for your group or simply browse all grants.	https://lincscvp.org.uk/find-a-funder/
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Countywide Funding Schemes

East Coast Community Fund	£1,000 to £50,000	Funding for capital and revenue projects for: community buildings and facilities; community activities and services; environmental and public open spaces; and sports, recreation and play.	Local community benefit (social, economic and environmental).	Coastal communities in Lincolnshire. Please use the map on Grant Scape's website to check whether projects are in the eligible area and for closing dates	Contact GrantScape T – 01908 247634 E – eccf@grantscape.org.uk www.grantscape.org.uk
Anglian Water – Thriving Communities Fund	£10,000 - £100,000	Projects must primarily nurture, repair, protect or sustain our natural water environment. This covers all natural and managed water systems and the	To support projects across the entire Anglian Water region that are focused on the water environment whilst also delivering social benefits.	Must be within the Anglian Water region can use this map to see if you are eligible www.water.org.uk/cus-tomers/find-your-	Contact CAMBRIDGESHIRE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION T – 01223 410535 E – info@cambscf.org.uk

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		ecosystems connected to them, including the sea.	combining two important pillars of our purpose.	supplier	
Lincolnshire Co-op Community Champions	£500 - £2,000 +	Groups can benefit from Community Champions throughout the year.	Groups must be non-profit making.	Countywide Currently closed.	Membership & Community Lincolnshire Co-operative Ltd Stanley Bett House 15/23 Tentercroft Street Lincoln LN5 7DB 01522 512211 https://www.lincolnshire.coop/community/community-champions
Co-Operative Bank-Customer Donation Fund	Up to £1000	To support special projects and fundraising events.	To enable events to take place. Must hold a Community Directplus account.	Countrywide Ongoing fund	https://www.co-operativebank.co.uk/business/community/customer-donation-fund/
BNA Charity	Not stipulated	Focus on supporting projects that make a real difference in the UK but with a particular focus on organisations and communities in Newark and Nottinghamshire, Lincoln and Lincolnshire and the surrounding area.	Projects that make a difference at the Trustees discretion	UK wide with a focus on Lincoln and Lincolnshire. Visit website for next closing date	https://www.bnacharity.com/
Mick George Community Fund	£10,000 to £50,000 (Individual grants not normally made for more than £35,000)	Funding for capital improvement works to public amenities (e.g. village halls, village greens, playgrounds, sports facilities, community centres, nature reserves etc.)	Local community benefit and enjoyment. Projects must be available and open to the public – as a minimum for 4 evenings a week or 2 days a week.	Projects located in much of South Lincolnshire. Please use the map on Grant Scape's website to check whether projects are in the eligible area and for closing dates.	Contact GrantScape T: 01908 247630 helpdesk@grantscape.org.uk www.grantscape.org.uk
Shine – Mental Health Sustainability Fund	Organisations can apply for a grant	The Mental Health and Wellbeing	The Sustainability Fund, which will hold	County wide – Lincolnshire	Contact Shine funding@shinelincolnshire.com

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	of up to £25,000 for local projects and up to £50,000	Community Investment Fund was formed following agreement with Lincolnshire partners as part of the Community Mental Health Transformation Programme	the majority share of monies, opens to Lincolnshire VCSE partners on an annual basis, organisations can apply for a grant of up to £25,000 for local projects and up to £50,000 for full countywide projects in Year 1, with the allocation of funding for each individual project gradually decreasing by pre-determined proportions over a period of 3 years.	Currently closed.	https://shinelincolnshire.com/
Shine – Mental Health and Wellbeing Innovation Fund	The smaller Innovation Fund will enable organisations to apply for smaller grants (from £1,000 up to a maximum of £8,000) to pilot new and innovative ideas in their communities for up to 12-months before seeking, if appropriate, to apply to the Sustainability Fund.	The smaller Innovation Fund will enable organisations to apply for smaller grants (from £1,000 up to a maximum of £8,000) to pilot new and innovative ideas in their communities for up to 12-months before seeking, if appropriate, to apply to the Sustainability Fund.	The smaller Innovation Fund will enable organisations to apply for smaller grants (from £1,000 up to a maximum of £8,000) to pilot new and innovative ideas in their communities for up to 12-months before seeking, if appropriate, to apply to the Sustainability Fund.	County wide – Lincolnshire Closed	Contact Shine funding@shinelincolnshire.com https://shinelincolnshire.com/

National Funding Programmes - General

Bernard Sunley Charitable Foundation	Over £1,000 for one-off grants for capital projects (new buildings, major refurbishments,	To support projects that build cohesion and projects that assist young people to attain their full	They support applications for improvements to hospices, residential	Support for Registered Charities, Churches, Schools, Scout & Guide Groups or 'exempt'	http://www.bernardsunley.org/ T 020 3036 0090 office@bernardsunley.org
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	transport and equipment). Not for revenue costs.	potential (with focus on special schools.	care for the elderly, research medical equipment, specialist new transport and new build and refurbishment.	status groups in England and Wales.	
Benefact Trust	Small grants range from £1000 up to £15,000 for projects with a total cost of up to £1 million. Larger grants are available for projects costing over £1 million.	The General Grants Programme supports the repair, restoration, protection and improvement of churches, cathedrals and other places of Christian worship where changes support wider community use and enable greater impact. The programme also supports projects that help to tackle social issues, for example homelessness, poverty, climate change and cultural cohesion, and projects that support Christian leaders, and help to share the Christian faith.	Benefact Trust's General Grants Programme supports projects that demonstrate an impact on people and communities.	Churches, cathedrals, denominational bodies, Christian charities, and schools and educational institutions are all eligible to apply. England wide scheme.	https://benefacttrust.co.uk/
Biffa Award	Grants between £10K and £75K.	Biodiversity, community buildings, recreation and partnership.	Examples are green spaces, woodland walks, nature reserves, play areas, community gardens and building works to clubhouse facilities demonstrating multi usage.	Projects located within 5 miles of a significant Biffa Group Limited operation or 10 miles of an active Biffa or other landfill site.	https://www.biffa-award.org/
CRASH		The grant is open to registered charities that provide services to single	The grant is being provided by the Construction Industry's	England and Wales	Apply For Help CRASH

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		homeless people over the age of 18 or people in need of end-of-life care.	Charity (CRASH), and can be used for a variety of purposes, including refurbishing or renovating buildings, building new facilities, improving accessibility, and installing energy-saving measures. The aim is to help homelessness charities and hospices in England and Wales improve their facilities.		
Foyle Foundation	£2,000- £10,000	Available to support small, grassroots, and local charities that deliver services to the young, vulnerable, elderly, disadvantaged, or general community across the UK.	Can be used to cover projects, core costs, building projects, or essential equipment to enable ongoing service provision for charities with a turnover of less than £150,000 per annum that can show financial stability and a clear need for their services.	Closing Date 31 st January 2025	
Happy Days Children Charity		The charity awards funding for different types of activities to support families with children aged 3-17 who have a disability, a special need or have been abused.	Applications for family activities are accepted from parents, guardians, grandparents, or siblings, as well as GPs, consultants, nurses, or social workers. Applications for group activities are accepted from organisations such as SEN schools and	UK Closing Date	https://www.happydayscharity.org/applications

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			groups, young carers, and women's refugees.		
Masonic Charity Foundation Charity Grants	Small grant of between £1,000 and £5,000 Large grant of between £10,000 and £60,000	Funding is available for registered charities that are working to support disadvantaged children and young people, as well as vulnerable older people in England and Wales.	Support projects that are focusing on: -Children affected by domestic abuse, -Early years (0-5), -Children with special educational needs and disabilities, -People with dementia and their carers.	England and Wales Applicants are invited to submit an expression of interest, and if successful, will be invited to complete a full application.	https://mcf.org.uk/get-support/grants-to-charities/
The National Lottery Community Fund - Awards for All <i>***Changes will be implemented soon: Groups urgently needing funding now to June 25' to apply asap. All other groups suggested to wait until announcement in November 24'.</i>	Up to £20,000 No match funding is required. Can be revenue or capital for new or developed projects. Allow four months before your activity is due to start.	Support what matters to people and communities.	Must be aligned to at least one of the funding priorities: -Bringing people together to create strong communities -Places and spaces that matter to people -Enabling more people to fulfil their potential and be People led.	England wide Scheme.	https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/ https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/national-lottery-awards-for-all-england Phone: 0345 4102030 Rolling Programme
The National Lottery Community Fund - Reaching Communities <i>***Changes will be implemented soon: Groups urgently needing funding now to June 25' to apply asap. All other groups suggested to wait until announcement in November 24'.</i>	Over £20,000 No match funding is required. Two step process, no formal applications forms. Step 1 - approx. 2-3 months to hear if invited to submit funding proposal, then Step 2 approx 6 months hear if awarded funds.	Supporting organisations with great ideas that enable communities to thrive.	Must be aligned to the funding priorities: -Bringing people together to create strong communities -Places and spaces that matter to people -enabling more people to fulfil their potential and be People Led.	England wide scheme.	https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/ https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/over10k Phone: 0345 4102030 Rolling programme

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Neighbourhood Planning Support Programme	Between £1,000-£10,000 with additional grants of up to £8,000 for groups with more complex issues.	Helps town and parish councils, neighbourhood forums and prospective neighbourhood forums to cover the costs associated with preparing a neighbourhood plan or neighbourhood development order.	Initiative that allows residents to shape the future development of their area, including housing.	Countrywide Closing Date 31 st March 2025	https://neighbourhoodplanning.org/about/grant-funding/
NFU Mutual Charitable Trust	Between £1,000 and £50,000	Support organisations which have a significant impact on rural communities at national level.	Advance the education of the public using research and dissemination of information about agriculture, Advance the education of young people within rural areas; Relieve poverty within rural areas; Promote the benefit and social welfare of rural community inhabitants by associating with the inhabitants and local authorities, voluntary and other organisations to advance education and leisure; Promote research into agriculture associated activities; Advance the education of the public by means of research and dissemination of information	Within the UK Closed	https://www.nfumutual.co.uk/about-us/charitable-trust/
Nisa Local	Up to £500	Supporting children with back-to-school uniforms	Focused on childrens enrichment	Country Wide	

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		and enriching summer experiences such as holiday clubs, fetes and community trips.		Closed	
Parkinson's UK Physical Activity Grant	Up to £3,000.00	Supporting physical activity projects for people with Parkinson's all over the UK.	The Parkinson's UK Physical Activity Grants Programme supports activity providers, communities, networks, organisations and others to develop opportunities for people with Parkinson's to become and stay active.	County Wide. In 2025 the application period will open on Monday 10 March at 9am. It is a rolling programme and applications will be accepted until all the funding has been allocated.	: https://www.parkinsons.org.uk/information-and-support/grants-physical-activity-providers Parkinson's UK 50 Broadway London SW1H 0DB Tel: 020 7931 8080
Parkinson's UK Marginalised Communities Grants	Up to £3,000.00	The grants will help more people with Parkinson's from marginalised communities to get active and to engage in local physical activity classes. They are looking for any innovative new projects that will help marginalised Parkinson's communities who are not currently accessing physical activity opportunities and local authorities with the highest levels of deprivation indicated by the Index of Multiple Deprivation in the UK (2019).	Marginalised Communities: Ethnic minority groups. Anyone with physical or learning disabilities. Low affluence areas and low socio-economic groups. Anyone from the LGBTQIA+ community. Refugee, asylum-seeking and migrant communities. Anyone who identifies as a woman. Community Groups and organisations: Community based not for profit organisations (including charities, CICs and constituted community groups,	Applications are open from Monday 2 June to Sunday 10 August.	https://www.parkinsons.org.uk/information-and-support/physical-activity-grants-marginalised-communities

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			excluding Parkinson's UK Local groups or branches). Community Amateur Sports Clubs (CASCs). Community benefit societies and co-operatives.		
Clothworkers' Foundation	Main Grants Programme – no maximum (average grant £25K) Small Grants Programme – maximum £10K (average £7K). Rolling programs.	Must link with priorities https://foundation.clothworkers.co.uk/Open-grant-programmes/Main-and-Small-Grant-Programmes/Programme-areas.aspx	Aligned to priorities: Alcohol & substance misuse; people with disabilities; young people; disadvantaged minority communities; domestic/sexual violence; older people; homelessness; prisoners; visual impairment.	Countrywide	https://foundation.clothworkers.co.uk/Open-grant-programmes/Main-and-Small-Grant-Programmes.aspx
D'Oilyly Carte Charitable Trust	Between £500 and £6,000	Projects and core costs, with a preference for small-scale, locally based initiatives	Grants are available for UK-registered charities that seek to enhance and improve people's lives by advancing the arts, health and medical welfare, and the environment.	Closed	How to apply – The D'Oilyly Carte Charitable Trust (doilylycartecharitabletrust.org)
Dunhill Medical Trust	Project Grants - Between £5K and £40K (36 months). Building Grants - Between £5K and £100K.	Time limited projects focussing on services for older people. Accommodation/developments for older people.	Focused on self-sustaining to enhance mainstream services (not core costs) Toward build costs and equipment not covered by statutory.	UK	https://dunhillmedical.org.uk/community-project-grants/ The Dunhill Medical Trust 5 th Floor 6 New Bridge Street London EC4V 6AB 020 7403 3299 admin@dunhillmedical.org.uk

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Garfield Weston	Regular Grants (below £100K). Major Grants (more than £100K). Capital, revenue and project costs.	Projects benefiting: - Arts - Community - Education - Environment - Faith - Health - Museums & heritage - Welfare - Youth	The Foundation supports a broad range of charities that make a positive difference. They fund a wide range of causes and charities and grants vary according to the size of the charity and the work being undertaken.	UK	https://garfieldweston.org/what-we-support/ T: 020 7399 6565 admin@garfieldweston.org
Green Hall Foundation	£1,000 and £10,000. Not running costs.	-the homeless -the elderly -Church and community projects.	Preference given to projects that will benefit a number of people, rather than a few and where they are the main funder. They also prefer to fund special projects or specific items of equipment.	Registered Charities in the UK.	https://greenhallfoundation.org/history-aims-of-foundation/ 2 nd Floor International House 41 The Parade St Helier Jersey JE2 3QQ Urgent enquiries 01534 487757
Greggs Foundation	Local Community Projects Fund.	Up to £2K to help deliver projects.	Local project that improve local resilience	England.	https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/grants T: 0191 212 7626 getintouch@greggs.co.uk
Hillards Charitable Trust	Grants to local charities in 45 towns in North and Central England.	Normally one-off grants of up to £1,000 Makes 2 £10,000 grants where it makes a significant difference.	Care for old people Children's welfare Education Physical/mental health.	Grimsby, Scunthorpe, Lincoln & Boston.	https://www.hillardstrust.org/secretary@hillardstrust.org
Housing Decarbonisation Fund	Allocating £1.2 billion	The funding will be available to: local authorities, combined authorities, registered	he Fund supports installation of energy performance measures that: deliver warm,	UK Ongoing Application	Social Housing Decarbonisation Fund: Wave 3 - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)

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		providers of social housing (including housing associations and arms-length management organisations (ALMOs) that are registered providers), registered charities that own social housing.	energy-efficient homes, reduce carbon emissions, tackle fuel poverty, support green jobs, develop the retrofit sector, improve the comfort, health, and well-being of social housing tenants.		
Morrison's Foundation	Grant funding.	No limit.	Charities delivering projects which help to improve people's lives. From support groups to children's hospitals and homeless shelters to hospices.	England, Scotland and Wales.	https://www.morrison'sfoundation.co.uk/ T 0845 611 4449
Laing Family Trust	Beatrice Laing Trust	Christian organisations, working to express their faith through practical action to help those in need, offering direct support to the most vulnerable and disadvantaged in society; Charities providing practical services to people with physical, mental and learning difficulties and their families/carers; Organisations providing opportunities for training and development to young people, in particular those who are disadvantaged or 'at risk'.	There is no formal application form. Application is by letter, accompanied by a concise proposal (usually about 3 - 4 pages).	An application to one is therefore considered as an application to all. You do not need to make multiple applications; your application will be directed to the most appropriate of the Trusts.	http://www.laingfamilytrusts.org.uk/beatrice_laing_trust.html T: 020 8238 8890

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	Kirby Laing Foundation	Education, with a particular interest in the promotion of science and engineering, and youth development; social/medical welfare projects, particularly those benefitting elderly and disabled people.			
Lloyds Bank Foundation	This year, they will be able to make around 190 unrestricted two-year grants of £50,000 to small charities across England and Wales. Funding to: Maintain and/or improve capacity Encourage learning Enable to continued provision or expansion of services Running costs including salaries.	Regional Priorities consider local need, the prevalence of eligible small and medium sized charities, the nature of the region and the level of investment, current Regional Priorities will be in place until the end of the year, but with a review point every six months.	Foundation has given to each complex social issue in that area, including our portfolio of live grants. They use this information to prioritise investment in certain Complex Social Issues and the Local Authority you do the majority of your work in.	Countywide Registered charities only.	Tel 0370 411 1223 e-mail - enquiries @lloydsbankfoundation.org.uk website - lloydsbankfoundations.org.uk
National Churches Trust	Foundation Grants (£500 to £3,000) Gateway Grants (£3,000 to £10,000) Cornerstone Grants (£10,000 to £50,000).	Support for a wide variety of projects eg repairs to church buildings (re-roofing, stone repairs), alterations to church buildings to enhance facilities and urgent and structural work that costs over £100,000.	From helping to install an accessible toilet to repairing a roof to help churches, people and local communities.	UK.	https://www.nationalchurchestrust.org/grant-programmes-2019-2023 Tel 020 7222 0605 info@nationalchurchestrust.org

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People's Health Trust	Between £5K and £50K over two years. Fund opens in different counties on a monthly basis.	Local projects designed and run by local people.	Addressing the underlying structural cases of health inequalities.	Not for profit organisations with income of less than £350K pa Two stage process.	https://www.peopleshealthtrust.org.uk/ T: 020 7749 9100 enquiries@peopleshealthtrust.org.uk
Postcode Community Trust	From £500 - £20,000.	Improving community health and wellbeing; Arts and physical recreation; and social isolation.	Outcome for local people	Two funding rounds a year (February and July) – Two stage process.	http://www.postcodecommunitytrust.org.uk/ info@postcodecommunitytrust.org.uk 0131 322 9399
Power to Change	Funding and Advice.	Power to Change supports people to start and grow community businesses to revive local assets, protect the services people rely on, and address local needs.	The vision is to create better places through community business. They will use endowment to strengthen communities and includes providing money, advice and support to help local people come together to take control.	England	https://www.powertochange.org.uk/ Rolling programme
Rank Foundation	Pebble Grants. Funding for projects where the total cost is less than £1million.	If the mainstay is capital costs (building work, refurbishment or the purchase of long-term equipment) or a one-off short-term activity and have already raised a third of the total costs, you may be eligible for this.		UK Registered Charities and recognised Churches.	https://rankfoundation.com/pebble-grants/ Currently considering grants for the Trustees meeting in May 2019
Santander Foundation	Community Grants programme up to	Grants to support knowledge, skills and	Skills and innovations.	UK	https://santanderfoundation.org.uk/pages/home

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	£5,000.	innovation to give disadvantaged people confidence.			
Screwfix Foundation	Up to £5,000.	Support for registered charities and not for profit organisations. Themes: Education and Employment; Health and social care; social enterprise.	Projects that maintain, improve and repair charitable and community facilities for those in need.	UK	https://www.screwfix.com/help/screwfixfoundation/ Closing dates in January, April, July and October.
Severn Trent Community Fund	Between £2,000 and £200,000		-People -that support healthier lifestyles and skills development. -Places- Projects that help create better places for communities. -Environment- Projects that improve access to and promote a healthier natural environment, including the preservation of water.	Must be served by Severn Trent Water Closing Date	Severn Trent Community Fund About Us Severn Trent Water (stwater.co.uk)

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Sport England	<p>Community Asset Fund - £1,000 to £150,000.</p> <p>Small Grants Between £300-£10,000.</p>	<p>Fund is a programme dedicated to enhancing the spaces in local communities that give people the opportunity to be active.</p> <p>Projects that help everyone take part in physical activity.</p>	<p>Improve and protect existing sports facilities; Invest in new and different places that meet the needs of local communities; Ensure our capital investment reaches organisations who have not accessed our funding before; Create a more resilient, sustainable, less grant dependent sport sector.</p>	UK.	<p>https://www.sportengland.org/funding/community-asset-fund/</p> <p>Enquiries only 0345 8508 508</p> <p>funding@sportengland.org</p>
Tesco Community Grants	<p>The project that receives the most votes will receive up to £4K, second place up to £2K and third place up to £1K.</p>	<p>Purchasing items which will benefit local community groups such as sports kit, specialised medical equipment, art and crafts materials, spades, litter pickers, camping equipment.</p> <p>Improvements to a building that benefits the local community such as a Scout or Guide hut, church or village hall, changing facilities for sports.</p> <p>Developing an outdoor space play area, allotment, park, school grounds, woodland or</p>	<p>Can fund 100% of your project costs so you do not have to have any match funding. However, if you secured additional funding, there is no limit to what this amount can be and any funding awarded can form part of your wider project costs.</p>	<p>England, Scotland and Wales - charities, community groups, schools, health bodies, parish and town councils can apply.</p>	<p>https://tescocommunitygrants.org.uk/</p> <p>0121 237 5780</p>

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		wildlife area. Running a community event or activity such as fun runs, village fete, clean-up day, tree planting, bird watch.			
The Edward Gostling Foundation	Grants to charities that support people of all ages living on low incomes who have a physical and/or mental disability or long-term illness Most grant for less than £10K – those over are visited Not for running costs.	Health & Wellbeing Independent Living at Home Respite Transition	information providing, guidance, advice, training and moral and emotional support - independent hospices and care homes Education, training, coaching and development to promote independent living and/or support to help people into paid work, vocational services or volunteering.	Registered Charities operating for at least 3 years.	https://www.theactfoundation.co.uk/themes/ T: 01753 753900 Edwardgostlingfoundation.org.uk info@edwardgostling.org.uk
The Basil Samuel Charitable Trust	No upper or lower limit. Applications must be made in writing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social care • Education • Cultural activities • Education / Training • Disability • Animals Medical needs	Further information is however available on the Charity Commission website. The Trust's annual accounts include a detailed list of grant awards. The application process is on-going and interested applicants may apply at any time.	UK wide.	No website For further information: The Trustees Basil Samuel Charitable Trust c/o Smith and Williamson 5 Moorgate London EC2R 6AY Tel: 020 7131 4376
The Happy Days Children's Charity	Grants available to fund day activities and	Funding towards trips, respite breaks and group	The charity awards	UK wide	https://www.happydayscharity.org/applications

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	holidays.	activity holidays for disadvantaged children and young people with additional needs.	funding for different types of activities to support families with children aged 3-17 who have a disability, a special need or have been abused.	Rolling Applications	
The Henry Smith Charity	Grants to reduce social and economic disadvantage.	-Improving lives -Strengthening communities - Holiday grants for children -Christian Projects -Kindred	Various priorities – see website for details.	UK wide.	https://www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk/ T: 020 7264 4970
The Fore	Up to £30,000.	The Fore makes grants of up to £30,000 over one to three years and provide access to business expertise to help our grantees achieve their goals.	We make grants that cover all sectors and aim to fund charities looking to make a transformational impact on themselves as an organisation. Includes core costs.	UK. .	Hanna-Mariam Chowdhury, Programme Coordinator The Fore Two Temple Place, London, WC2R 3BD hanna@thefore.org 020 7240 6192
The Inman Charity	Between £2,000 and £5,000.	Care of the elderly General Welfare Hospices The deaf and blind Care of disabled The Armed Forces Medical Research.	Supporting projects with a welfare focus and those working with disadvantaged people.	UK Registered charities.	http://www.inmancharity.org/
The Steel Charitable Trust	Between £2,500 and £25,000.	-Arts and Heritage -Economic or social disadvantage -Education -Environment -Health.	Few restrictions are imposed – applications for support towards capital projects, other projects or core costs are considered.	Registered Charities or 'exempt' charities in the UK (preference given to projects in Bedfordshire).	http://www.steelcharitabletrust.org.uk/grant_policy.htm Rolling programme
The Woodroffe Benton	£500-£2,500.	Relief of Hardship	Preference to contribute	Charitable organisation	https://www.woodroffebenton.org.uk/

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Foundation		Care for the Elderly Education & Youth Development Environment & conservation Human physical wellbeing.	towards core operating costs.	based in the UK including Schools, universities).	k/ secretary@woodroffebenton.org.uk
The Woodward Charitable Trust	Small grants: Up to £3K. Large grants: Over £3K – only a few large grants are awarded.	Children & Young People Ex offenders and Prisoners Disadvantaged women Disability Arts projects Integration.	Majority of funds are for one off projects, although some grants fund salaries and running costs.	UK Priority to groups with an income of less than £300K.	http://woodwardcharitabletrust.org.uk/
The Worshipful Company of Weavers	Charitable grants. Up to £15K. Preference is given to pump priming new projects.	-Young Offenders -Ex-offenders -Disadvantaged young people.	Successful projects include mentoring, anti-gang and drug abuse programmes, summer clubs in deprived areas, art and theatre workshops.	Registered Charities.	http://www.weavers.org.uk/charitable-grants T: 020 7606 1155
Trusthouse Charitable Foundation	Major Grants Programme (up to £60K) and Small Grants Programme (between £2K and £10K).	Grants for running costs or one-off capital costs to charities and not for profit organisations including CiC's and social enterprises with an annual income of less than £500K.	Overarching themes are rural issues and urban deprivation, community support, art education and heritage.	UK	http://trusthousecharitablefoundation.org.uk/grants/ grants@trusthousecharitablefoundation.org.uk
Tudor Trust	Project grants, capital grants and grants to help strengthen your organisation. Minimum £10K, no maximum.	Include capital, core costs (including salary, overheads and day to day activities), equipment.	Projects that display positive organisational characteristics; address marginalisation; make a difference.	UK	http://tudortrust.org.uk/ T: 0207 727 8522 access@tudortrust.org.uk

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	Rolling programme.				
UnLtd	Do It Awards – up to £15,000 for individuals.	Social Entrepreneurs to grow their venture – for 12 months mentoring and tailored support, expert advice, connections to investors.	Building access to employment; developing resilient Communities; Solutions for an Ageing Society.	England.	https://www.unltd.org.uk/about-us/contact-us 020 7566 1100
Veolia Environmental Trust	£10,000- £75,000	aimed at creating or improving buildings or outdoor spaces for the benefit of the community.	provides grants for community and environmental projects	UK	The Veolia Environmental Trust (veoliatrust.org) https://www.veoliatrust.org/funding/
WH Smith Trust Community Grants	Up to £500.	Support for community groups and schools.		UK.	https://blog.whsmith.co.uk/community-grants-application/ General enquiries – 01793 616161
Wolfson Foundation	Varies across projects	Funding for places	Through Funding for places a wide range of organisations working across the fields of education, science & medicine, health & disability, heritage, humanities & the arts can apply for capital grants for buildings	UK	Funding for places - The Wolfson Foundation

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Allen Lane Foundation	Not stipulated.	The foundation aims to fund work benefitting people affected by mental health problems – lessening their isolation and feelings of stigma, improving wellbeing and promoting recovery, and enabling people to feel included in their local communities.	To make a lasting difference to people's lives rather than simply alleviating the symptoms or current problems. Reducing isolation, stigma and discrimination and encourages or enables unpopular groups to share in the life of the whole community.	UK.	https://allenlane.org.uk/people-with-mental-health-problems/ 01904 613 223 gill@allenlane.org.uk.
National Programmes Children and Young People					
Children in Need	Small grants: up to £10,000.00 Main grants: Over £10,000.00	Projects which help combat - Illness, distress or abuse - Any kind of disability - Behavioural or psychological difference - Living in poverty or situations of disadvantage	Groups working to make a positive difference to lives of disadvantaged children and young people.	Countywide.	0345 609 0015 e-mail: Pudsey@bbc.co.uk http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/5ysD3mLQYYRPLNZ032LjM7/grants Small Grants – 1 March, 1 June, 1 Sept & 1 Dec Main Grants - 15 Jan, 15 May & 1 Sept
Margaret Dobson Further Education Trust	Not stipulated	Support for smaller charities that help young adults with a learning disability.	Projects that support those with learning difficulties and special needs to fulfil their potential and better prepare them to be able to lead independent lives.	UK Registered Charities.	http://margaretdobsontrust.org/

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Ragdoll Foundation	Up to £50K (average between £5K and £20K)	Open Grants supporting organisations working with children and young people using the arts and creative media; initiatives that support the voice of and rights of children and young people.	Mainly interested in applications that involve children during their early years, but appropriate projects for older children will be considered.	Countrywide.	http://www.ragdollfoundation.org.uk/portfolio/grant-giving Rolling programme info@ragdollfoundation.org.uk
True Colours Trust	Small Grants up to £10,000	Groups that work with disabled children and their families on a daily basis (eg hydrotherapy pools, multi-sensory rooms, minibuses, sibling projects, bereavement support, equipment etc).	One-off contribution towards core costs or projects.	UK organisations.	http://www.truecolourstrust.org.uk/small-grants-uk/ Rolling programme 0207 410 0030
Youth Music- Trailblazers Fund	Up to £30,000	available to organisations in England for projects that support disadvantaged and disabled children and young people in making, learning, and earning in music.	Youth Music Trailblazer fund, which supports organisations that want to trial work for the first time, test a new way of working, or disrupt the status quo—or all three.	UK Closing Date 29 th August 2025	https://youthmusic.org.uk/trailblazer-fund

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